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舞い闘う、儚き蜉蝣たちの物語
"This story is about the fleeting dragonflies that fly and fight in the skies.
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WOLF MOON

"Kozuki Woods" wera a group of paopla not blessed with the Beast Factor and whom lived alongside nature. From the shadows, their shrine maiden piloted a Mobile Animal and plundered nearby settlements for supplies. They claimed this was done for the sake of their own survival, and keep the cost of life at an absolute minimum.

But these were nothing but pretty words.

Give them ideals, minimize casualties, and the community will hold. This is what their founder, the shrine maiden Lakan Okami believed.

Behind the curtains, Kozuki Woods had a dark side.

There were those that disposed of any possible threats in the vicinity of the Environment Plant from even before the sect's foundation. Those that protected the shrine maiden from the shadows when she was out hunting. Those that protected the community from the shadows even to this day, dared not seek the light that they offered.

They called themselvas "Wolf Moon." When conflict between ZOO and Oben had escalated, Wolf Moon commander Hagley Ogami began to feel uneasy and called back his three companions who were out on long-term reconnaissanca.

However, at the rendezvous point, tha three declared a revolt against Kozuki Woods. Thus began Hagley Ogami's lonesome fight to protect his people, and his sister.



■XUM-CA00GS
影狼ガンダム
KAGEROW GUNDAM

■MS MODE



■XUM-CA00G Wolf Gundam's sister unit that was customized for Wolf Moon. If the Wolf Gundam is considered as "light," then the Kagerow Gundam might be called "dark."

This unit excels at covert missions. Its black body exhibits high stealth capability, effectively hiding it from enemy sensors.

The external equipment can be taken off with relative ease and it can even use spare equipment from the Volf. (This means that this unit was expected to be used as a "shadow" of the shrine maiden's unit.)

Much of the Tamer's Beast Factor is allocated to mobility, meaning no other unit can match its superb maneuverability. The unit is quite literally a "ninja."

While it cannot use drones like the Volf Gundam, its system is the same as the Volf, allowing it to use kunai-shaped funnels called "Black Ravens."

■Armaments
Kunai "Black Ravens"

■**desiner's comment //** Isaac Kibishima
A ninja Gundam concept was chosen here, and I got super excited to work on the ninja appearance, like "I so got this!" But I did have a bit of trouble with transforming tha scarf-shaped shield… Since Volf Gundam was the model for this unit, it made work a lot easier this time.

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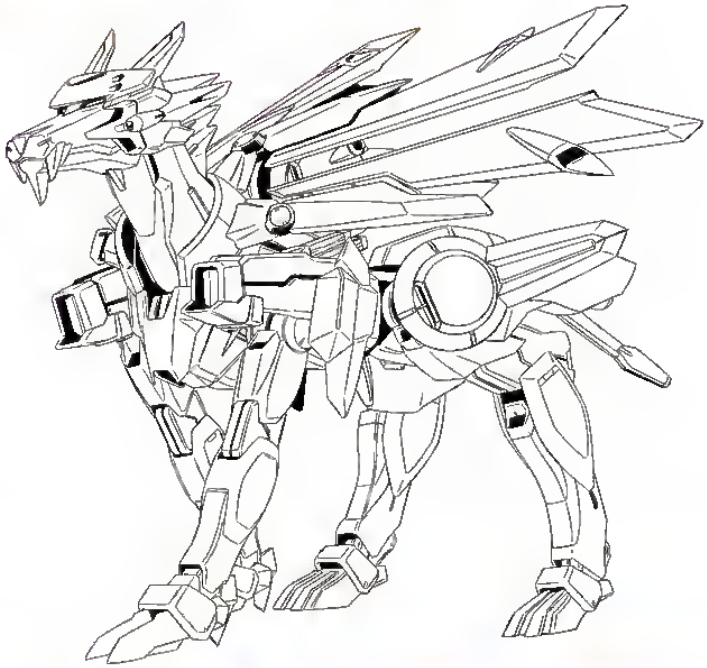


■Further, as is characteristic of secret organizations, Wolf Moon units are fitted with a self-destruction system called "Avicii Hell."

The purpose of this is to destroy all evidence along with the surrounding enemies. This is accomplished by placing a self-detonating bomb directly underneath the generator, as well as countless metal pellets all around the generator.

When this system is activated, a great amount of heat is generated when the generator is destroyed, melting the metal pellets and showering the unit's surroundings with molten rain. This system literally creates hell on earth.

Of course, the tamer's safety is not taken into consideration. This may have arisen from Wolf Moon's mysterious nature.



■desiner's comment //Isaac Kibishima

By the way, Kagerow Gundam's development codename was "Ephemera," but the older brother Hagley decided to call it "Kagerow" instead.

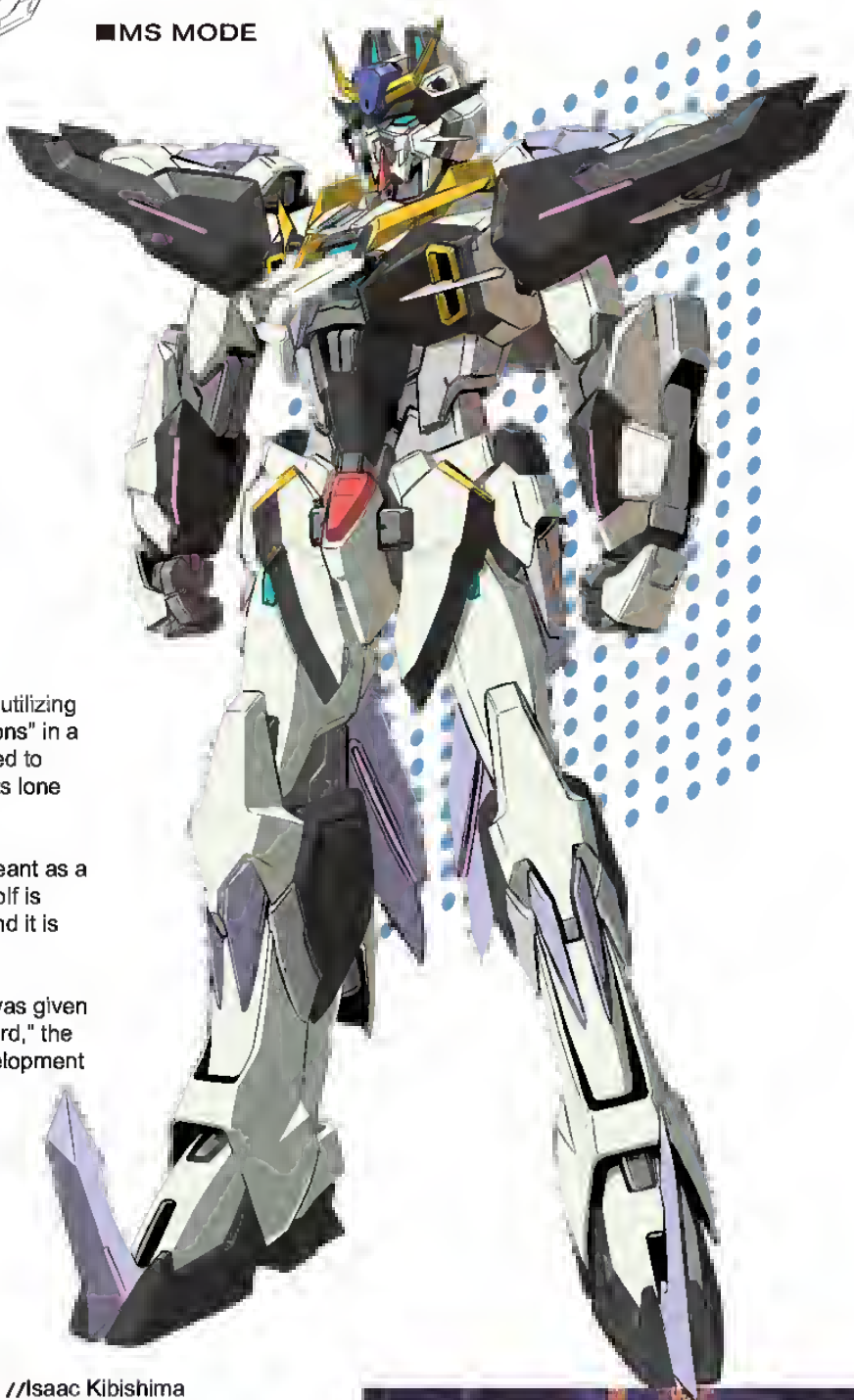
■XUM-CA00G

ヴォルフガンダム

WOLF GUNDAM



■MS MODE



■ Its basic fighting style involves utilizing the wireless-controlled drones "Jons" in a battle group. Because it's designed to share weapons with the Hound, its lone weapon is a solid-state blade.

This solid-state sword is partly meant as a religious symbol, and while the Volf is often seen toting this sword around it is seldom actually used.

While the name "Shine Caliber" was given to instill the image of a "Holy Sword," the actual name given during its development is unknown.

■ Armaments
Sword "Shine Caliber"

■**desiner's comment** //Isaac Kibishima
The Wolf Gundam first appeared in G-Beast Volume 2, Estrus. But since the Okami Family and Kozuki Woods will be a big plot element here, I stuck this mecha profile in again for new readers.

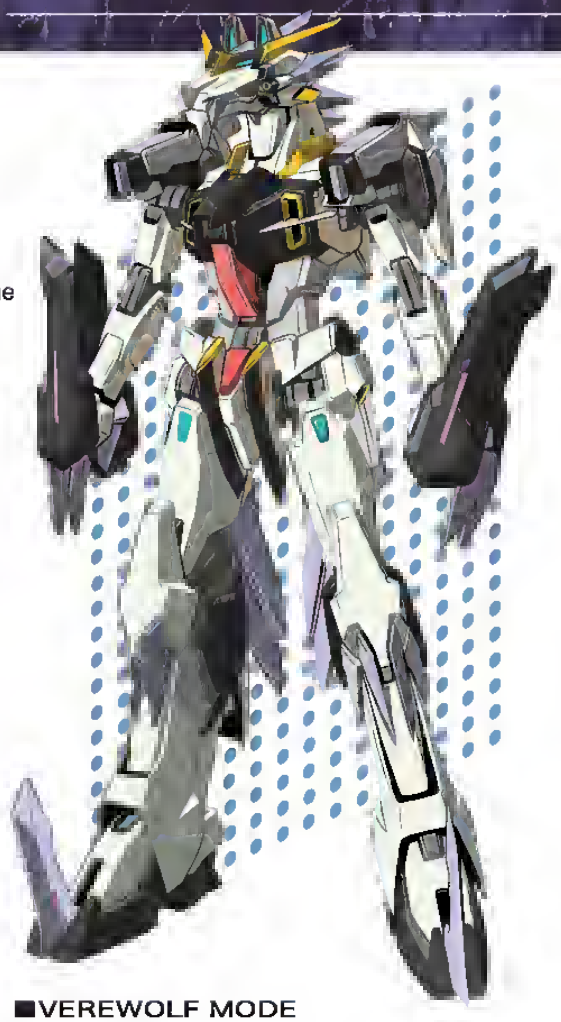
■ Verewolf Mode
The Wolf can transform into Werewolf form during a moonlit night.

While in this form, it stows away the control equipment for the "Jon" drones and switches the head out for another one with sensors made specially for solo combat. In addition, the shoulder armor is deployed as close-range claws (Nagel), and attack power and arm mobility is increased.

This aforementioned transformation affords Volf enormous close-combat ability, but the ability to control the Jons is lost.

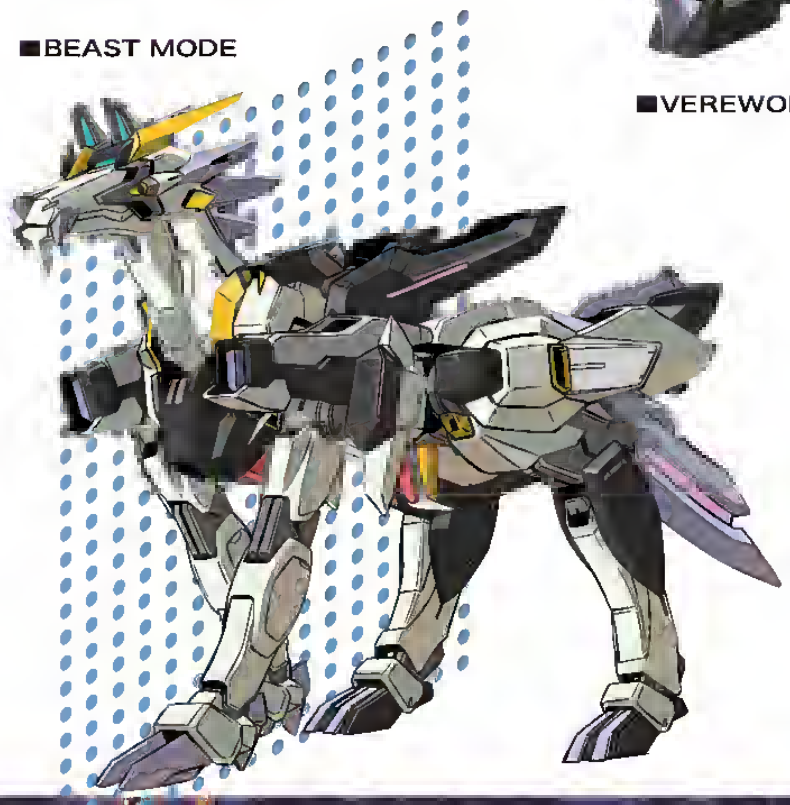
Furthermore, use of this transformation is limited not because of any problem with the system, but because of psychological issues with the Tamer.

■ Armaments
Close-range Claws "Nagel"



■VEREWOLF MODE

■BEAST MODE



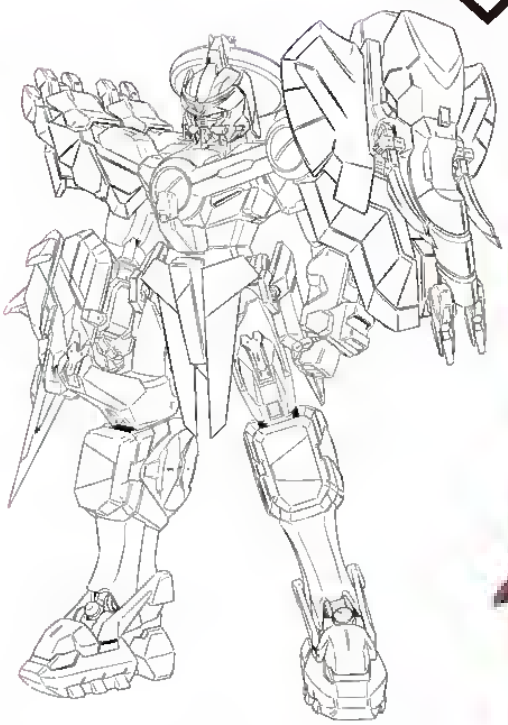
■ Beast Mode
Much like other units, its profile is greatly reduced and speed of movement is increased in Beast form.

Because a good portion of the piloting is automated, this form is used also in cases where the Tamer wants to focus on the Hound.

■XUM-RI01GC

サイゾウガンダム

PSY ZOO-0 GUNDAM



■MS MODE



■ This is a 3-stage transforming unit with two Beast Forms.

The MS form specializes in information warfare and uses a scroll-shaped jamming weapon called "All Seeing Mirror" to scramble the enemies sensors, upon which the unit uses its own radome in its head to search out the enemy.

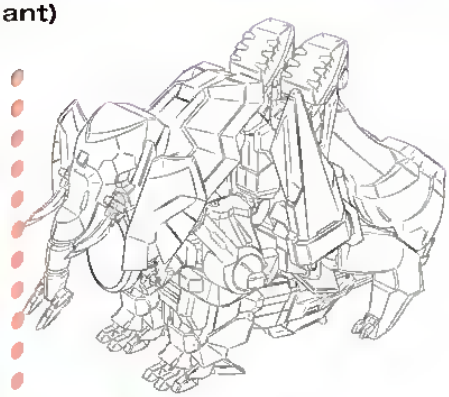
The characteristic radome on the MS form's head is called "Third Eye Sensor," which calculates the enemy's position by way of infrared, passive sonar, and the like. (The radome is not equipped with optical sensors because it assumes use of sight-hindering tactics like smoke screens.)

■ Armaments
Kunai x2: Twin Blades
Pile Bunker: Electromagnetic Ramming Horn
Vulcans: 90mm automatic cannon
Main Gun: 02 type Assault Lightning Cannon

■desiner's comment //Urimo Shitake

Speaking of ninjas, I kinda incorporated the "Third Eye" idea on my own. I got rid of tha so-called main camara and put in a giant radoma on the back of the head. Taking this idea further, "Third Eye" mode is activated when shutting off the light in the two eyes. I tried adding a bit of character by adding the scroll to the face. I added the tomoe mark on the chest to emphasize its Japanese nature as well as its 3-stage transformation.

■BEAST MODE
(elephant)



■BEAST MODE
(rhinoceros)

■ The elephant Beast Form is used mainly for cruising, but it can use its trunk and tusks effectively in melee combat.

On the flip side, when in rhino mode, the part that is the "trunk" in elephant mode changes into a cannon, allowing for long-range bombardment.

Thus, this unit has three forms, each with distinctive fighting styles. This also means that a highly-skilled tamer capable of skillfully using each form is required.

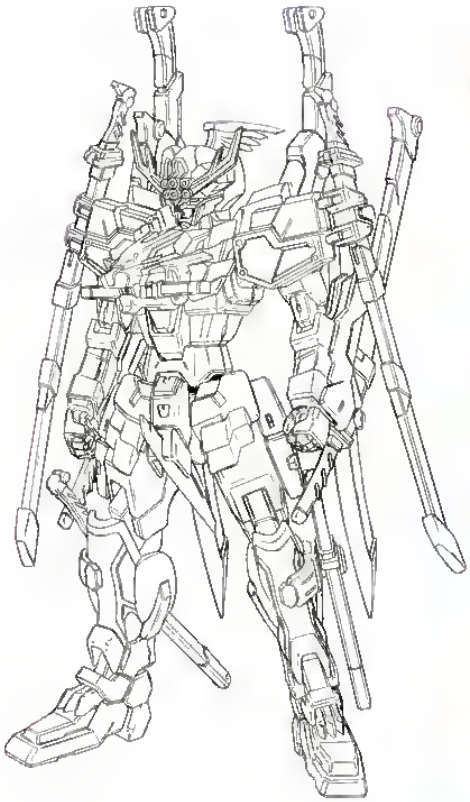


■desiner's comment //Urimo Shitake
I thought to make this unit more ninja-like by giving it short blades, and the elephant tusks worked perfect for that. They are detachable and can be wielded in the hands. Because the elephant trunk is the barrel of the cannon, it allows for long-range bombardment in rhino mode. The elephant form uses the rhino head to protect the cockpit and is used as a cruising form.

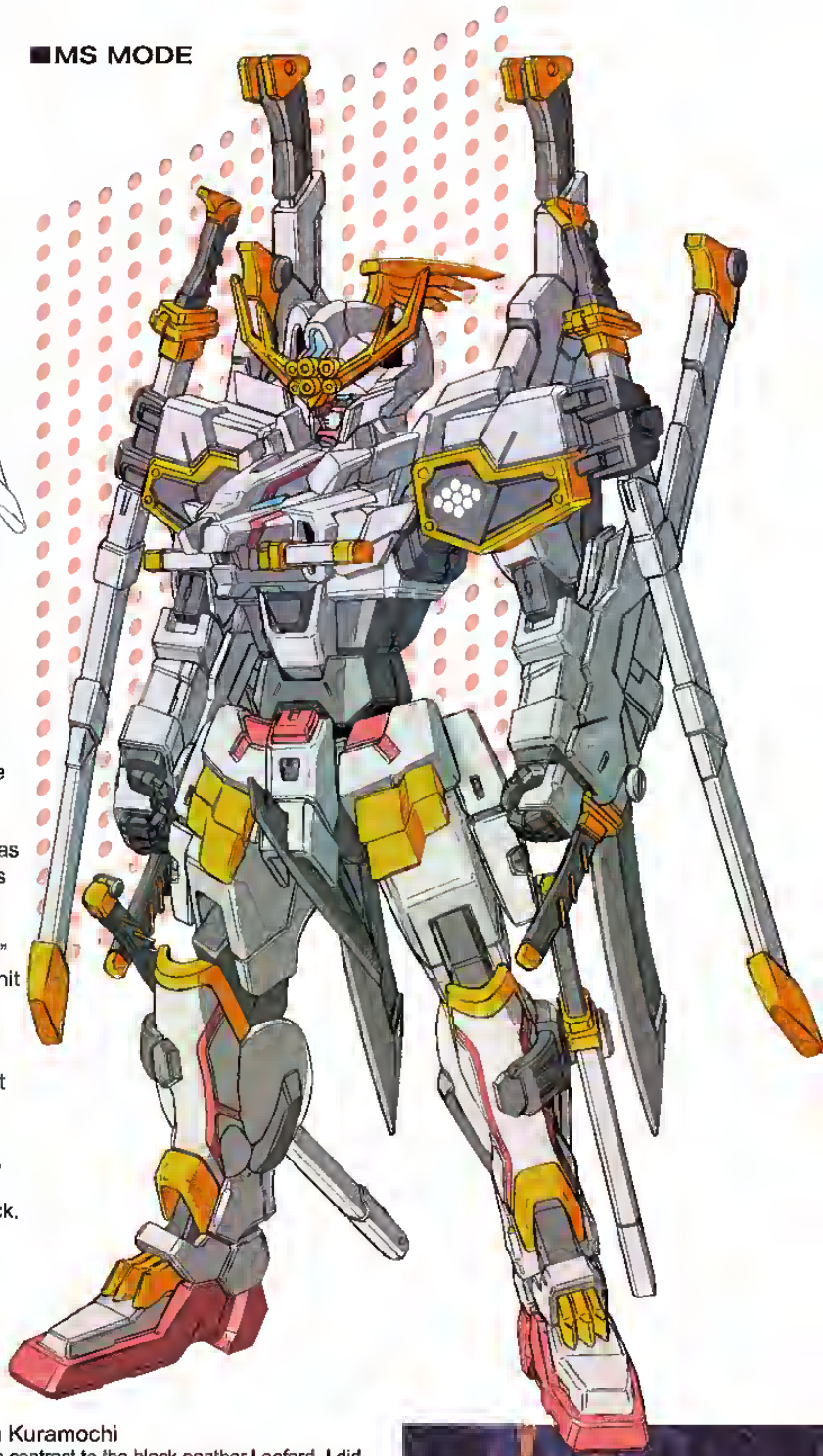
■XUM-PA09G9

百光ガンダム

BYAKKOU GUNDAM



■MS MODE



■This unit transforms into the form of a white tiger.

It was originally a Federation prototype but was stolen by Wolf Moon and was modified into its current form. Equipped with 9 swords (nine-sequence blades) all over its body, it excels in close combat. It doesn't simply "cut," but using movements called "kenjutsu," the unit increases its destructive power manyfold.

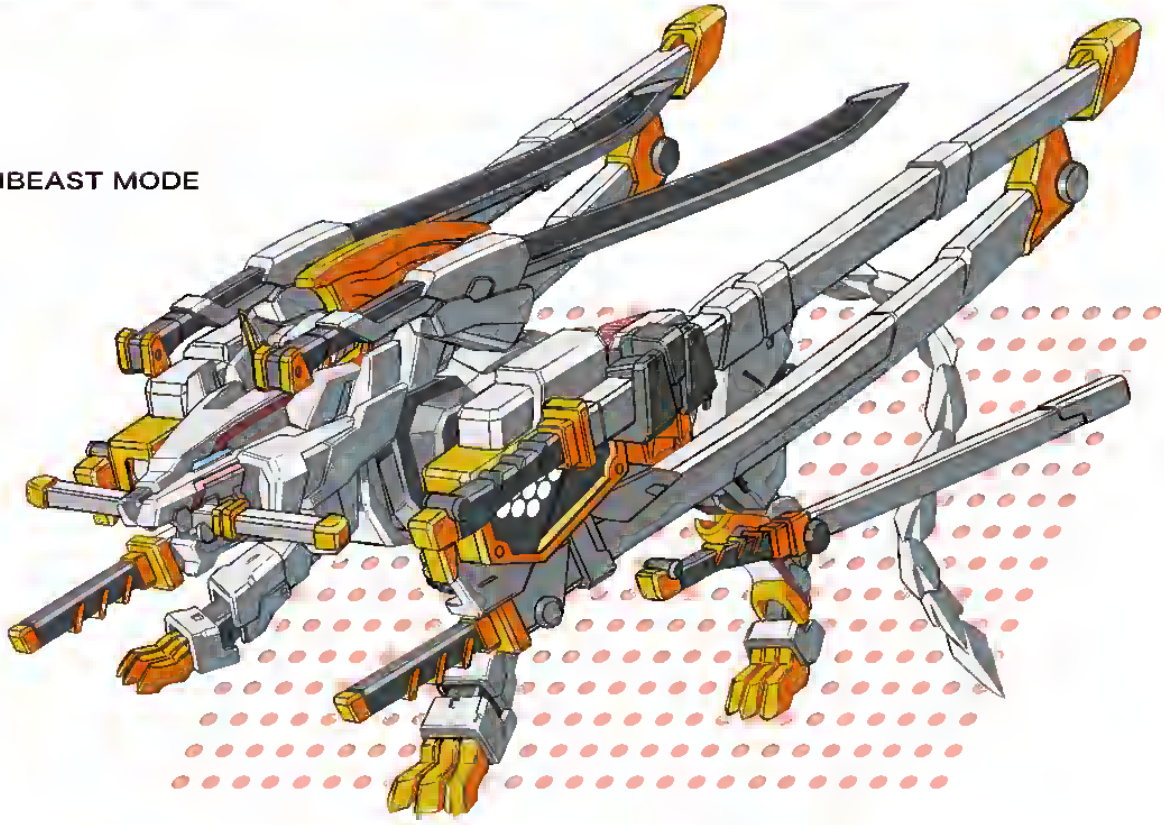
Each of the 9 swords has a name, from First Flash to Ninth Flash, and has an armor type it is specialized against.

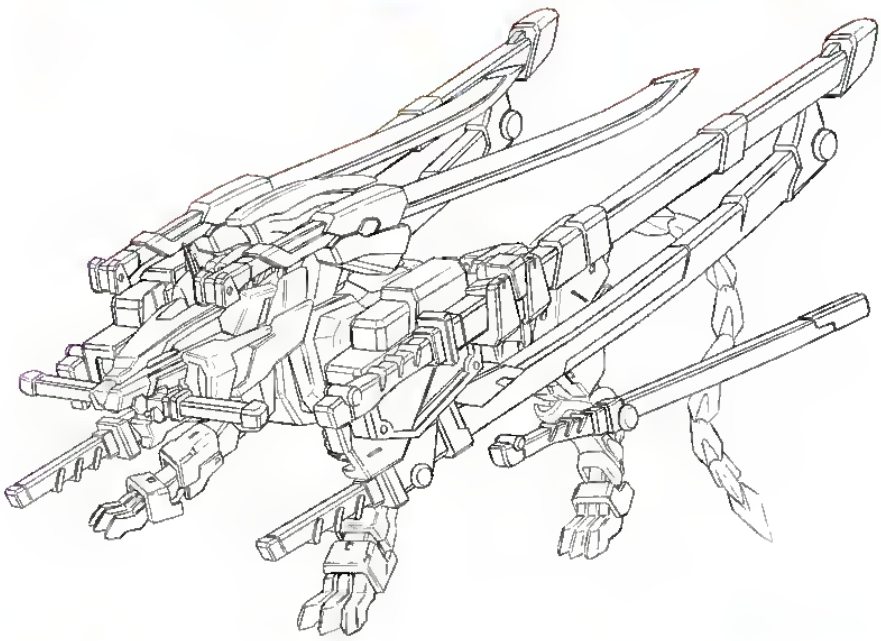
By utilizing these swords at the right moment, the Byakkou Gundam silences the enemy without giving them a chance for counterattack.

■ Armaments
Katanas: Nine-Sequence Blades (Gurenjinn)

■desiner's comment //Kyoryu Kuramochi
I rustled up this white tiger design as a contrast to the black panther Leofard. I did my best to give it more swords than any other existing mecha. Sword overkill!

■BEAST MODE





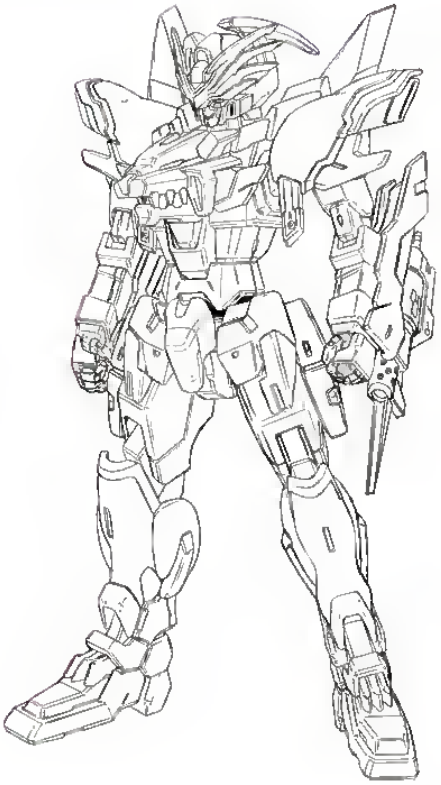
■desiner's comment //Kyoryu Kuramochi

"It can even move freely in Beast Mode!"... Well, I'm not sure how true that statement would be, but I do think it has a most intimidating silhouette!

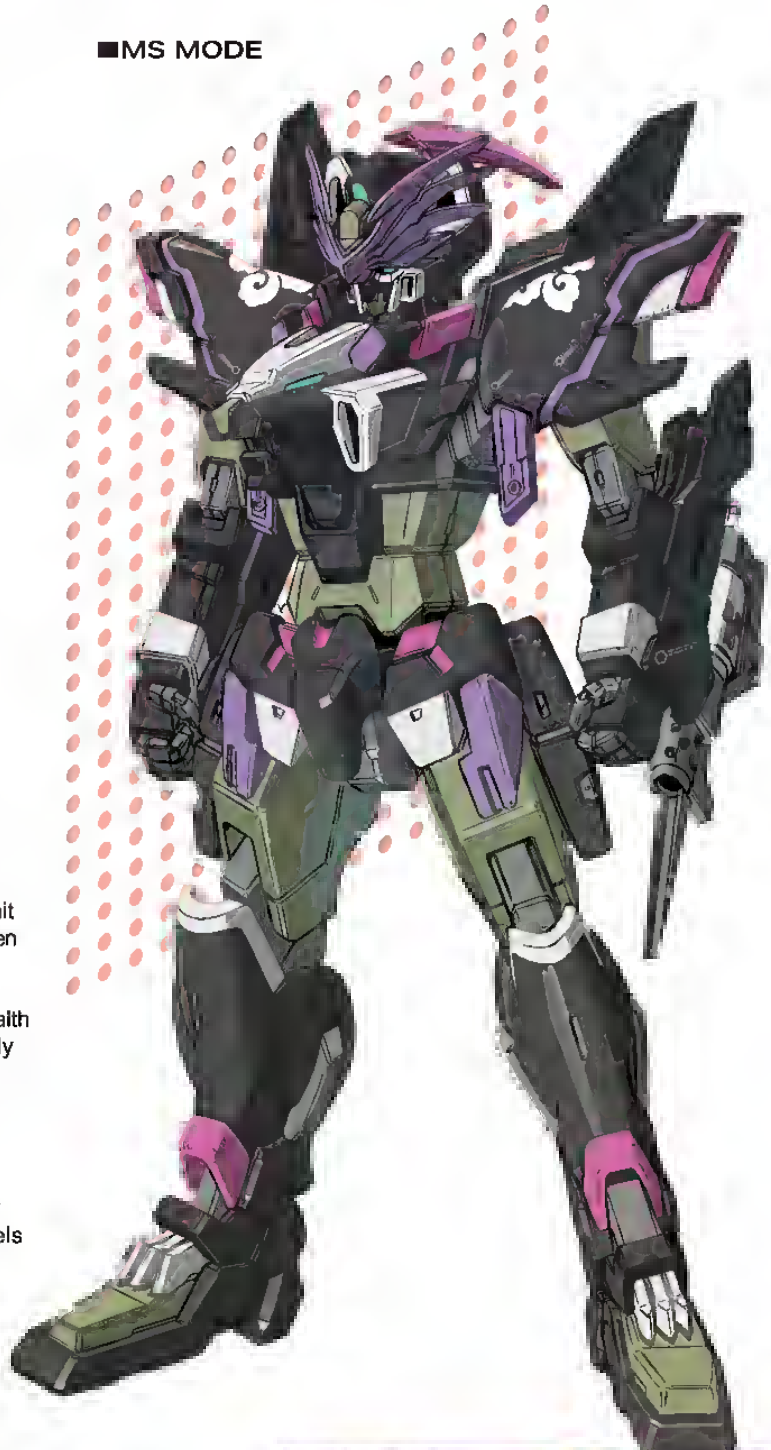
■XUM-PA06G

ガンダムレファード

LEOFARD GUNDAM



■MS MODE



■ Just like the Byakkou Gundam, this unit was a prototype Federation that was stolen and modified.

It was made black to greatly boost its stealth capability, and since it is also exceptionally quiet, it can move around without tripping enemy sensors.

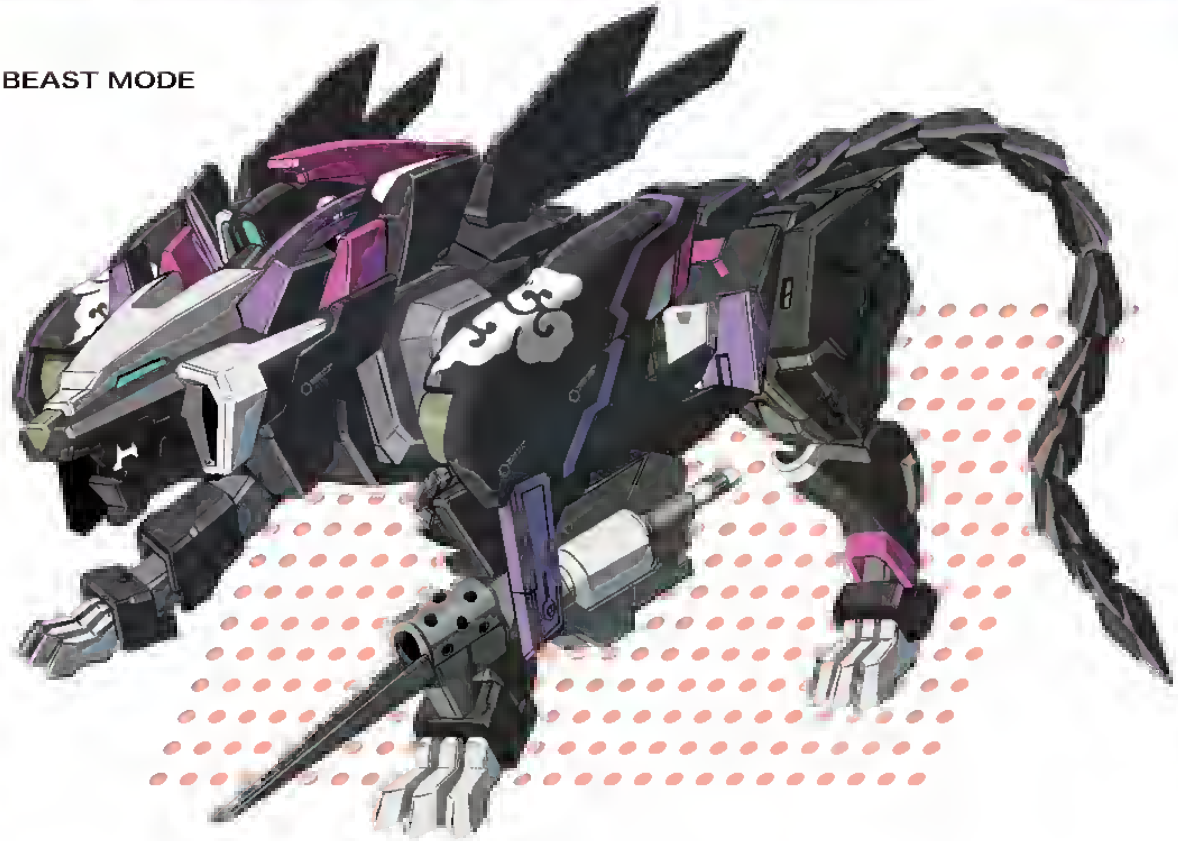
The Kunai Gun on the left arm is the only special weapon it has equipped, but to supplement its low firepower it can swiftly deliver a precise attack. Therefore, it excels in delivering a fatal blow before being noticed by the enemy.

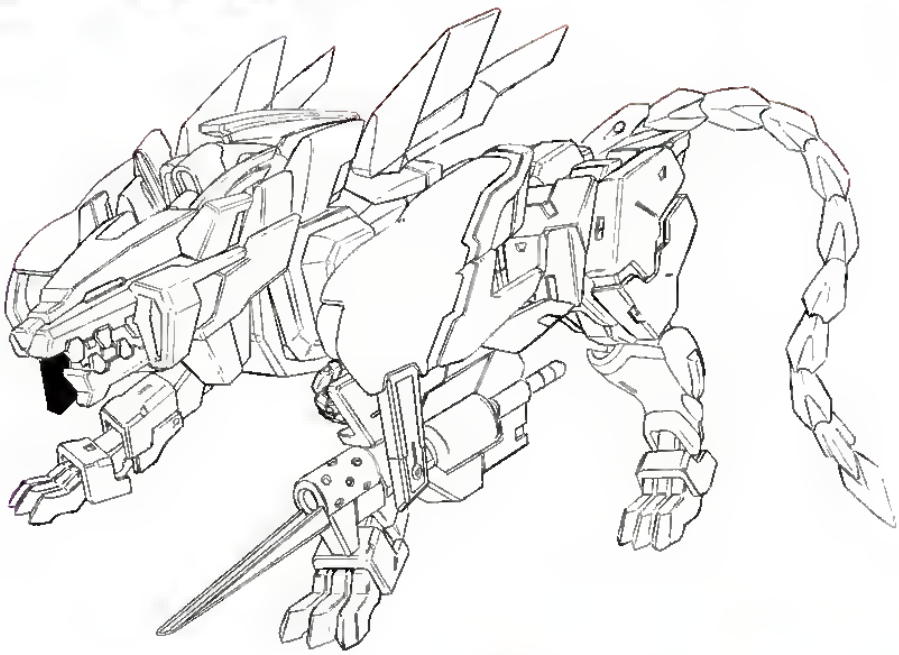
■Armaments:
Left arm machine gun: Kunai Gun



■desiner's comment //Kyoryu Kuramochi
I based this on the Gundam Tigris and stripped away some of the details, replacing them with more Japanese-looking kind of parts.

■BEAST MODE





■designer's comment //Kyoryu Kuramochi
I decorated the shoulders with clouds because I imagined the MA form would "slice through the wind" when it runs.

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■APPENDIX

キャラクター
CHARACTERS

■Hagley Ogami (22)
The main character of this edition. He hides the fact that he's Lakan Okami's older brother and took on the sumame Ogami. For the saka of his younger slster, he single-handedly takes on dangerous and dishonorable work and supports the community from the shadows. Leads tha community's special unit "Wolf Moon."

『忍とは人間の欲望が生み出した影』

"Truth is found in forbearance, despite the shadows of human greed."

『人の心は醜くて美しい』

"The human heart is so ugly, and yet so beautiful."

■Lakan Okami (17)
Despite being the shrine maiden of "Kozuki Woods," a devout organization of people without the Beast Factor, she herself is the Tamer of the Volf Gundam. Though she still denies the existence of the Beast Factor, she herself actually possesses it. She uses her ability to see glimpses of the future to lead the people of Kozuki Woods.

『獣の力は汚れし力…私は汚れた女なのです。』

"The power of the beasts is a taint... therefore, I'm a tainted woman."



■Kaikeyi Ganzo (24)
Tamer of the Gundem Leofard. He's had poor eyesight since birth, but received e prosthetic eye as a result of human experiments in the military. Kaukeyi made use of his eye as a sniper in the Federation military. However, due to the prosthetic eye's decline in function, he was soon to be disposed of when he was rescued by Yukimura. They then fled together. Despite his role as a sniper, he's very intense and aggressive. After taking up Gundam Leofard in Wolf Moon, Kaukeyi became unusually trigger-happy for a sniper thanks to his failing eye. His personality may also have had an effect.

『良く見えるぞ！ハーグレイ！
"I see it bright as day, Hagley! I see your fear!" 貴様の恐が！』

■Yukimura (20)
Tamer of the Byakkou Gundam, which uses 9 different swords. She was originally a Federation military agent. The name Yukimura is an allas. She grew sick of the constant MS adaption experiments and escaped together with Kaikeyi and Kilis. She wandered the desert before being taken in by Kozuki Woods. She became part of Ogami's Wolf Moon because she possesses the Beast Factor, but grew tired of having their very existence denied and is plotting mutiny. While she is e women, she respects the way of Bushido. She is e "felr-end-square" type of person and is in stark contrast to the other two.

"Man or woman none of that matters before the power of the beast! The flash of our blades will leave you speechless!"

『女だとか男だとか…
獣の力の前では無意味同然！
我の刀の輝きの後にまごもれ！』

The answer isn't always black and white. Grey can also be the answer

白か黒だけが答えじゃない。
グレーだって立派な答えって奴だぜ

■Kilis Psyzoo (30)
Tamer of the Psy Zoo [illegible] undam
Originally a Federatio [illegible]
researcher. He took symp
Yukimura and Keukeyi, a
helped them escape by bl
up the research fecility. He [illegible]s an
extremely analytical type o
personality. However, he's also
very flamboyant and emotio ally
unstable, making his personality
hard to read. He was aloof even
after joining Wolf Moon, and he
seems to be genuinely enjoying
the current mutiny.

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